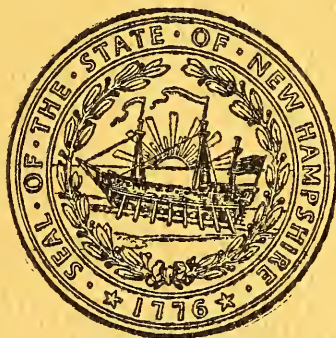

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

ARTHUR A. HILL

LOUVILLE EMERSON

ALBERT C. CHARLES

Treasurer

OLIN R. HANSCOM

Moderator

MILLARD H. CHANDLER

Town Clerk

LOUVILLE R. EMERSON

Road Agent

HERBERT A. ANDREWS

Tax Collector

MATTIE J. CROUSE

Supervisors of Check List

MERLE W. PITMAN

PERLEY R. HEAD

DANA A. WEEKS

Auditor

VICTOR H. HANSCOM

Budget Committee

VICTOR HANSCOM

DANA A. WEEKS

PERLEY R. HEAD

HERBERT ANDREWS

Trustees of Trust Funds

OLIN R. HANSCOM

ALBERT C. CHARLES

DANIEL BARNUM

HERBERT A. ANDREWS

Constable

HERBERT A. ANDREWS

Health Officer

HERBERT A. ANDREWS

Sealer of Weights and Measures

GORDON ANDERSON

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

HERBERT ANDREWS

FOREST M.HILL

PERLEY R. HEAD

Fire Wardens

MILLARD H. CHANDLER

PERLEY R. HEAD

DANA WEEKS

Fence Viewers

FRED WIGGIN

MILLARD CHANDLER

TOWN WARRANT

(L. S.)

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Chatham, New Hampshire in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House, in said Chatham on Tuesday, the 11th day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects.

ARTICLE 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount on all property taxes paid before July 1st and if so how much.

ART. 4. To see what the Town will do in regard to plowing dooryards for the ensuing year.

ART. 5. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

A.

B.

C.

D.

E.

Given under our hands and seal, this 12th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

ARTHUR A. HILL

LOUVILLE EMERSON

ALBERT C. CHARLES

Selectmen of Chatham

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

ARTHUR A. HILL

LOUVILLE EMERSON

ALBERT C. CHARLES

Selectmen of Chatham

BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the
Ensuing Year, January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

Compared with

Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the
Previous Year January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	<i>Actual Revenue Previous Year 1946</i>	<i>Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1947</i>
From State:		
Interest and dividends tax	\$ 75 15	\$ 70 00
Savings Bank tax	18 58	20 00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal		
forest lands	313 67	300 00
For fighting forest fires	20 83	
National forest reserve	966 24	1,200 00
Bounties	93 50	75 00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Interest received on taxes and		
deposits	7 19	
Refund on push rods	22 60	
Motor Vehicle permit fees	199 37	200 00
Dog licenses	27 00	30 00
Cash Surplus	163 87	

From Local Taxes Other Than
Property Taxes:

Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	174 00	170 00
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<i>Total Revenues from all sources</i>		
<i>except property taxes</i>	\$2,082 00	\$2,065 00
Amount to be raised by property taxes		3,170 00

<i>Total Revenues</i>		\$5,235 00

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	<i>Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1946</i>	<i>Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1947</i>
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>		
General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$441 48	400 00
Town officers' expenses	19 82	30 00
Election and registration expenses	3 23	3 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	26 00	24 00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Bounties	75 00	75 00
Fire Department	140 85	50 00
Health:		
Vital Statistics	4 50	4 50

Highways and Bridges:

Town maintenance: summer	883 70	1,200 00
Town maintenance: winter	790 29	

Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	293 37	
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Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and Veteran's associations	3 60	3 50
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Recreation:

Advertising	23 29	25 00
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Unclassified:

Miscellaneous	193 99	195 00
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*Outlay for New Construction and
Permanent Improvement:***Highways and Bridges:**

Town construction—T.R.A.	212 92	
State Aid Construction—Town's share	912 00	

*Payments to Other Governmental
Divisions:*

Special polls	105 84	
County taxes	965 35	975 00
Payments to School Districts	2,603 01	2,250 00

<i>Total Expenditures</i>	<hr/> \$7,698 24	<hr/> \$5,235 00
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

VALUATION

Real Estate—Residents

Lands and buildings	\$71,610 00
Wood and timber	16,245 00
Personal, residents	22,925 00

	\$110,780 00
Soldiers exemptions	4,820 00

Residents valuation \$105,960 00

Real Estate—Non-Residents

Lands and buildings	\$57,380 00
Wood and timber	12,130 00
Personal, non-residents	69,480 00

	\$138,990 00
Soldiers exemptions	150 00

Non-residents valuation \$138,840 00

Total Valuation \$244,800 00

Tax Rate — \$.016	
Property tax	\$3,916 80
85 Regular polls at \$2.00	170 00

Total Warrant \$4,086 80

LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Residents

26 Horses	\$ 2,935 00
181 Cows	16,915 00
37 Neat	2,820
142 Hens	140 00
6 Sheep	75 00
2 Hogs	40 00

	\$ 22,925 00

Non-Residents

9 Horses	\$1,300 00
2 Cows	190 00
2 Neat	165 00
1 Hog	20 00
5 Tractors	2,000 00
4 Mills	2,000 00
Lumber on skids	51,635 00

	\$69,480 00

APPROPRIATIONS

No.		
1	Town officers' salaries	\$400 00
2	Town officers' expenses	45 00
3	Registration	5 00
4	Town Halls	20 00
5	Fire Department	45 00
6	Bounties	
7	Vital Statistics	5 00
8	State Aid Construction	348 00
9	Town Road Aid	
10	Town Road Maintenance	700 00
11	Old Age Assistance	275 00

12	Memorial Day Flags	5 00
13	Advertising Town	23 29
14	Miscellaneous Bills	
15	Special poll tax	
16	County tax	965 35
17	School appropriations	2,256 00

Total Town and School Appropriations \$5,092 64

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

No.	Appropriations	Specific Credits	Total			Unexpended	Overdraft
			Amount Available	Expended			
1	\$400 00	\$ 28 43	\$428 43	\$441 48			\$ 13 05
2	45 00	47 89	92 89	19 82	\$ 73 07		
3	5 00	1 87	6 87	3 23	3 64		
4	20 00	113 00	133 00	26 00	107 00		
5	45 00	50 00	95 00	140 85		45 85	
6		75 00	75 00	75 00			
7	5 00	1 75	6 75	4 50	2 25		
8	348 00	564 00	912 00	912 00			
9		212 92	212 92	212 92			
10	700 00	217 22	917 22	1,673 99		756 77	
11	275 00	129 63	404 63	293 37	111 26		
12	5 00	20	5 20	3 60	1 60		
13	23 29		23 29	23 29			
14		106 65	106 65	193 99		87 34	
15		105 84	105 84	105 84			
16	965 35		965 35	965 35			
17	2,256 00	347 01	2,603 01	2,603 01			
	\$5,092 64	\$2,001 41	\$7,094 05	\$7,698 24	\$298 82	\$903 01	
						\$604 19	
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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$ 2,138 88	
Due from State:		
Bounties	75 00	
S. A. C.	912 00	
T. R. A.	212 92	
Other Bills due Town		
Donald Chandler on note	200 00	
Uncollected taxes, 1946	214 14	
<i>Total Assets</i>		\$3,752 94

Liabilities

Outstanding Bills		
D. A. Fogg for bulldozers	\$200 00	
Special poll taxes, 1945 levy	38 22	
Due to Schools		
Dog licenses	27 00	
One-half Forest Reserve Fund	483 12	
State and Town Joint Highway Construction Account in State Treasury	1,124 92	
Capital Reserve fund	101 75	
<i>Total Liabilities</i>		\$ 1,975 01
<i>Excess of Assets over Liabilities</i>		\$1,777 93

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$1,000 00
Furniture	50 00
Highway Department land and buildings	75 00
Equipment	750 00
Supplies	25 00
Schools, lands and buildings	3,000 00
Land acquired by tax deeds	
35 Acres in 11-1-1	175 00
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<i>Total</i>	\$5,075 00

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR A. HILL

LOUVILLE R. EMERSON

ALBERT C. CHARLES

Selectmen of Chatham

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

1946

Received for auto permits

Year 1945 permits \$ 3 52

Year 1946 permits 204 88

Total \$208 40

Paid Treasurer 199 37 \$199 37

Due Treasurer \$ 9 03

Received for dog licenses

For 1 male dog for 1945 \$ 2 00

For 15 male dogs for 1946 30 00

Total 32 00

Fees retained 3 20

Paid Treasurer 27 00

Due Treasurer 1 80

Total amount paid Treasurer \$226 37

Respectfully submitted,

LOUVILLE R. EMERSON

Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTORS'S REPORT

(FOR CURRENT YEAR'S LEVY)

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1946

Debit

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property taxes	\$3,916 80
Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	170 00

<i>Total Warrant</i>	\$4,086 80
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Added taxes:	
Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	6 00
Interest collected	57

<i>Total Debits</i>	\$4,093 37
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Credit

Remittance to Treasurer

Property taxes	\$3,694 29
Poll taxes—Regular at \$2.00	134 00
Interest collected	57
Discount allowed	50 37
Uncollected taxes as per Collectors'	

List:

Property taxes	172 14
Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	42 00

<i>Total Credits</i>	\$4,093 37
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(For Previous Year's Levy)
SUMMARY OF WARRANT
 Levy of 1945

Uncollected Taxes as of January
1, 1946

Property taxes	\$185 67
Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	38 00
Poll taxes—special at \$3.00	60 00
Interest collected during fiscal year ended December 31, 1946	4 66

Total Debits

\$ 288 33

Credit

Remittance to Treasurer during fiscal
year ended December 31, 1946

Property taxes	\$ 184 77
Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	24 00
Poll taxes—special at \$3.00	39 00
Interest collected during year	4 66
Abatements made during year	35 90

Total Credits

\$288 33

Levy of 1943

Uncollected Taxes as of January
1, 1946

Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	\$2 00
Interest	49

Total Debits

\$ 2 49

Credit

Remittance to Treasurer during fiscal
year ended December 31, 1946

Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	\$2 00
Interest	49

Total Credits

\$2 49

Levy of 1942*Uncollected Taxes as of January
1, 1946*

Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	\$ 2 00
Interest	64

Total Debits

\$ 2 64

Credit*Remittance to Treasurer during fiscal
year ended December 31, 1946*

Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	\$ 2 00
Interest	64

Total Credits

\$ 2 64

Levy of 1941*Uncollected Taxes as of January
1, 1946*

Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	\$ 2 00
Interest	83

Total Debits

\$ 2 83

Credit*Remittance to Treasurer during fiscal
year ended December 31, 1946*

Poll taxes—regular at \$2.00	\$ 2 00
Interest	83

Total Credits

\$2 83

MATTIE J. CROUSE

Tax Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Town of Chatham in account with Olin R. Hanscom,
Treasurer, for the fiscal year ending December 31,
1946

DETAIL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Cash in treasury, balance of cash	
on hand December 31, 1945	\$4,010 93

Received from:

Automobile permits

1945	\$ 3 52
1946	195 85

199 37

Dog tax

1945	\$ 1 80
1946	25 20

27 00

Mattie J. Crouse, Collector, property
tax, 1945

\$184 77

Mattie J. Crouse, property tax 1946

3,694 29

Mattie J. Crouse, poll tax 1945

(13) special; (12) regular	63 00
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Mattie J. Crouse, poll tax 1946

134 00

Mattie J. Crouse, poll tax 1941,

1942, 1943

6 00

Mattie J. Crouse, interest collected

(1946 - \$.57), (1945 - \$4.66)

(1943 - \$.49), (1942 - \$.64)

(1941 - \$.83)

7 19

Total receipts from collector

4,089 25

Received from State of N. H., National Forest Reserve Fund	966 24
State of N. H., Chapter 234, Laws 1942	313 67
State of N. H., Bounty on 137 hedgehogs	68 50
State of N. H., Forest Fire bills, State's share	20 83
State of N. H., Bounty on 5 bears	25 00
State of N. H., Savings Bank tax	18 58
State of N. H., interest and dividends tax	75 15
Received from R. C. Hazelton Co., refund on push rods	22 60
<i>Total receipts during year</i>	<hr/> \$5,826 19
Cash on hand at beginning of year	4,010 93
<i>Grand total</i>	<hr/> \$9,837 12
Paid by orders of the Selectmen	7,698 24
Balance of cash on hand deposited in Carroll County Trust Co., Conway, N. H., December 31, 1946	<hr/> \$2,138 88
OLIN R. HANSCOM	
Treasurer	

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From local taxes, current year	\$3,828 86
Property and poll taxes previous years	260 39
Reimbursements from state	1,487 97
From local sources except taxes	248 97
<i>Total receipts</i>	<hr/> \$ 5,826 19
Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1946	4,010 93
	<hr/> \$ 9,837 12

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

To General government	\$ 490 53	
To Protection of persons and and property	215 85	
To Health and vital statistics	4 50	
To Highways and bridges	1,673 99	
To Charities, public welfare	293 37	
To Patriotic purposes	3 60	
To Recreation advertising	23 29	
To Unclassified miscellaneous bills	193 99	
To New construction and im- provements	1,124 92	
To Other governmental divisions	3,674 20	

<i>Total Payments</i>		\$7,698 24
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1946		2,138 88

		\$9,837 12

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

From Tax Collector, local taxes		
Property taxes, 1946 levy	\$3,694 29	
67 Poll taxes, 1946 levy	134 00	
Property taxes, previous years	184 77	
15 regular polls, previous years	30 00	
13 Special polls, previous years	39 00	
Interest received on taxes	7 19	

		\$4,089 25
From State of New Hampshire		
Interest and dividends tax	\$ 75 15	
Savings Bank tax	18 58	

Reimbursements on Federal lands	313 67	
National Forest Reserve	966 24	
Forest Fires	20 83	
Bounties	93 50	
		<hr/>
		\$1,487 97
From Local Sources except taxes		
From Town Clerk, dog licenses	\$ 27 00	
From Town Clerk, Motor Vehicles		
permits	199 37	
From R C Hazelton, refund on		
push rods	22 60	
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		\$ 248 97
		<hr/>
<i>Total Receipts</i>		\$5,826 19
Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1946		4,010 93
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		\$9,837 12

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

To General Government

Town Officers' Salaries

Arthur A. Hill, selectman	\$ 50 00
Louville Emerson, selectman	100 00
Albert C. Charles, selectman	50 00
Olin R. Hanscom, treasurer	50 00
Louville R Emerson, clerk	20 00
Louville R. Emerson, issuing auto	
permits	17 20
Merle W. Pitman, supervisor check	
list	22 50

Perley R. Head, supervisor check	
list	15 00
Robert C. Charles, supervisor check	
list	5 00
Millard H. Chandler, moderator	15 00
Mattie J. Crouse, collector	81 78
Victor H. Hanscom, auditor	15 00

	\$ 441 48

Town Officers' Expenses

To Brown and Saltmarsh, supplies	\$ 2 02
To Edson C. Eastman	5 31
To N. H. Assessors, dues	2 00
To Louville Emerson, postage, tele-	
phone, etc.	9 65
To Olin Hanscom, postage	84

	\$ 19 82

Election and Registration

To Kathryn S. Carter, Register of	
deeds	\$ 3 03
To Walter G. White, Register of	
Probate	20

	\$ 3 23

Town Hall

To lighting Town House	\$12 00
To lighting Community Hall	14 00

	\$ 26 00

Protection of Persons and Property

To Fire department	\$140 85	
To Bounties	75 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 215 85

Health and Sanitation

To Vital Statistics	\$ 4 50	
	<hr/>	\$ 4 50

Highways and Bridges

Town Maintenance, summer	\$ 883 70	
Town Maintenance, winter	790 29	
	<hr/>	\$1,673 99

Charities, Public Welfare

To Old Age Assistance	\$293 37	
	<hr/>	\$ 293 37

Patriotic Purposes

To Memorial Day, flags	\$ 3 60	
	<hr/>	\$ 3 60

Recreation

To Advertising the town	\$ 23 29	
	<hr/>	\$ 23 29

Unclassified

To Miscellaneous bills		
Printing Town Reports	\$116 24	
Insurance on Schoolhouses	41 75	
Town officers' bonds	36 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 193 99

New Construction and Improvements

To State, S. A. C.	\$912 00	
To State, T. R. A.	212 92	

		\$1,124 92

Other Governmental Divisions

To State, special poll taxes	\$ 105 84	
To County tax	965 35	
To school district	2,603 01	

		\$3,674 20

<i>Total payments</i>		\$7,698 24
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1946		2,138 88

		\$ 9,837 12

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR A. HILL
LOUVILLE EMERSON
ALBERT C. CHARLES
Selectmen of Chatham

BOUNTY SCHEDULE

	<i>No. Hcdgehogs</i>	<i>No. Bears</i>
Joseph Emerson	1 \$ 50	
J. B. Jurad	9 4 50	
Cora Emerson	2 1 00	
Urban Andrews	8 4 00	
Walter Kimball	15 7 50	

Harold Andrews	30	15 00		
Donald Chandler	4	2 00		
Everett Eastman	1	50		
Norman Eastman	1	50		
Frank Hill			2	\$10 00
Lyle Wiggin	2	1 00		
Walter Eastman	5	2 50		
Clifford Emerson	1	50		
Richard Eastman	2	1 00		
Frank Eastman	2	1 00		
Nelson Eastman	1	50		
Gloria Wiggin	1	50		
Mickey Moore	1	50		
Clyde Garland	2	1 00		
Louville Emerson	2	1 00		
Richard Burpee			2	10 00
Lester Parker	4	2 00		
Herman Johnson	3	1 50		
Harold Hill	10	5 00		
Walton Charles	1	50		
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	110	\$55 00	4	\$20 00

A true copy attest:

LOUVILLE R. EMERSON
Town Clerk

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

JANUARY 1, 1946 TO MARCH 12, 1946

Clifford Emerson, labor plowing,	
81 hours at \$.80	\$ 64 80
Clifford Emerson, express on plow	
parts	1 98
Clifford Emerson, tractor, 2 hrs. at	
\$1.20	2 40
Clyde Garland, labor plowing, 21	
hrs. at \$.75	15 75
Arthur Hill, labor, plowing, 72	
hrs. at \$.75	53 00
Arthur Hill, truck plowing, 66	
hrs., at \$1.75	115 50
Arthur Hill, truck sanding, 3 hrs.	
at \$1.00	3 00
Millard Chandler, labor plowing,	
5 hours at \$.75	3 75
Millard Chandler, tractor plowing,	
5 hrs. at \$1.25	6 25
Albert Charles, labor plowing, 5	
hrs. at \$.75	3 75
Walton Charles, labor plowing, 5	
hours at \$.75	3 75
Town of Stow plowing snow, 3	
hours at \$5.00	15 00
Wesley Buswell, cutting and weld-	
ing	6 00
J. O. Flint, 2 bags salt for sand	2 00

<i>Total</i>	\$296 93

CLIFFORD F. EMERSON,

Road Agent

BARNES ROAD, 1946

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 32 hrs.		
at \$.80	\$	25 60
Herbert A. Andrews, truck, 12 hrs.		
at 1.00		12 00
Herbert A. Andrews, tractor, 2 hrs.		
at \$1.20		2 40
Millard H. Chandler, labor, 2 hrs.		
at \$.75		1 50
Millard H. Chandler, tractor, 2		
hrs, at \$1.20		2 40
Walton Charles, labor, 8 hrs. at \$.75		6 00
Albert Charles, labor, 8 hrs. at \$.75		6 00
Arthur Hill, labor, 8 hrs. at \$.75		6 00
Arthur Hill, tractor, 8 hrs. at \$1.20		9 60
Harold Andrews, labor, 24 hrs. at		
\$.75		18 00
Wilfred Barnes, cutting bushes, 33		
hrs. at \$.75		24 75

<i>Total</i>		\$ 114 25

BUTTER HILL ROAD

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 50 hrs.		
at \$.80	\$	40 00
Herbert A. Andrews, truck 6½ hrs.		
at \$1.00		6 50
Herbert A. Andrews, tractor, 12		
hrs. at \$1.20		14 40
Millard H. Chandler, labor, 19		
hrs. at \$.75		14 25
Millard H. Chandler, tractor, 7 hrs.		
at \$1.20		8 40
Walton Charles, labor, 30 hrs.		
at \$.75		22 50

Albert Charles, labor, 26 hrs. at	
\$.75	19 50
Arthur Hill, labor, 8 hrs. at \$.75	6 00
Arthur Hill, tractor, 8 hrs. at \$1.20	9 60
Harold R. Andrews, labor, 56 hrs.	
at \$.75	42 00
Daniel Barnum and team, 8 hrs.	
at \$1.50	12 00
Angus I. Andrews, labor, 4 hrs.	
at \$.75	3 00
N. E. Culvert Co., 2 culverts	47 19

<i>Total</i>	-----	\$245 34
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WEEKS' BRIDGE

Herbert A. Andrews, 5 hrs. at \$.80	4 00
Herbert A. Andrews, 10 lbs. spikes	
at \$.07	70

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ROBBINS HILL ROAD

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 16 hrs.	
at \$.80	\$ 12 80
Herbert A. Andrews, tractor, 12	
hrs. at \$1.20	14 40
Millard H. Chandler, labor, 15 hrs.	
at \$.75	11 25
Millard H. Chandler, tractor 15 hrs.	
at \$1.20	18 00
Walton Charles, labor, 16 hrs. at	
\$.75	12 00
Albert Charles, labor 16 hrs. at	
\$.75	12 00
Harold R. Andrews, labor 12 hrs.	
at \$.75	9 00

<i>Total</i>	-----	\$ 89 45
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ROBBINS HILL ROAD TO STATE LINE

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 69 hrs.		
at \$.80	\$	55 20
Herbert A. Andrews, tractor, 18		
at \$1.20		21 60
Herbert A. Andrews, truck, 8 hrs.		
at \$1.00		8 00
Millard H. Chandler, labor, 20 hrs.		
at \$.75		15 00
Millard H. Chandler, tractor, 2		
hrs. at \$1.20		2 40
Walton Charles, labor, 12 hrs. at		
\$.75		9 00
Albert Charles, labor, 6 hrs. at		
\$.75		4 50
Harold R. Andrews, labor, 60 hrs.		
at \$.75		45 00
Carl Eastman, 14 hrs. at \$.75		10 50

<i>Total</i>	\$	171 20

HARVEY ROAD

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 8 hrs.		
at \$.80	\$	6 40
Herbert A. Andrews, truck, 2 hrs.		
at \$1.00		2 00
Herbert A. Andrews, tractor, 2 hrs.		
at \$1.20		2 40
Millard H. Chandler, labor, 8 hrs.		
at \$.75		6 00
Millard H. Chandler, tractor, 6 hrs.		
at \$1.20		7 20
Walton Charles, labor, 4 hrs. at		
\$.75		3.00
Albert Charles, labor, 10 hrs. at		
\$.75		7 50

Harold R. Andrews, labor, 6 hrs.

at \$.75	4 50
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Total

\$ 39 00

LITTLE CHATHAM ROAD

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 16

hrs. at \$.80	\$ 12 80
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Herbert A. Andrews, truck, 4 hrs.

at 1.00	4 00
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Herbert A. Andrews, tractor 8 hrs.

at \$1.20	9 60
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Millard H. Chandler, labor, 8 hrs.

at \$.75	6 00
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Millard H. Chandler, tractor 8 hrs.

at \$1.20	9 60
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Walton Charles, labor, 8 hrs. at

\$.75	6 00
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Albert Charles, labor, 8 hrs. at .75

6 00

Harold R. Andrews, labor, 16 hrs.

at \$.75	12 00
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Total

\$ 66 00

HEALD'S ROAD

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 3 hrs.

at \$.80	\$ 2 40
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Millard H. Chandler, labor, 3 hrs.

at \$.75	2 25
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Millard H. Chandler, tractor, 3 hrs.

at \$1.20	3 60
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Walton Charles, labor, 3 hrs. at

\$.75	2 25
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Albert Charles, labor, 3 hrs. at \$.75

2 25

Total

\$ 12 75

SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS

Herbert A. Andrews, 54 hrs. at \$.80	\$ 43 20	
Herbert A. Andrews, 2 qts. paint at \$1.15	2 30	
Herbert A. Andrews, 1 lb. grease	25	
Herbert A. Andrews, 1 gal. snow plow wax	3 40	
Herbert A. Andrews, 4 grader wheels	32 00	
Herbert A. Andrews, telephone	26	
Farnsworth Corp., 1000 bd ft. plank at \$.06	60 00	

<i>Total</i>		141 41

PUTTING UP SNOW FENCE

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 16 hrs. at \$.80	\$ 12 80	
Herbert A. Andrews, truck, 4 hrs. at \$1.00	4 00	
Millard H. Chandler, labor, 8 hrs. at \$.75	6 00	
Albert Charles, labor, 18 hrs. at \$.75	13 50	
Walton Charles, labor, 18 hrs. at \$.75	13 50	

<i>Total</i>		\$ 49 80

SNOW WING

R. C. Hazelton Co., 1 wing and equipment	250 00	
H. A. Andrews, freight, B & M R R Co.	2 88	

Arthur Hill, cartage	2 50	
H. A. Andrews, 68 lbs, dynamite		
at \$.235	19 97	
H. A. Andrews, 12 caps at \$.10	1 20	
H. A. Andrews, bolts	56	
Arthur Hill, repairs on snow plow	7 35	

<i>Total</i>		\$284 46

SNOW REMOVAL AND SANDING TO JANUARY 1, 1947

Herbert A. Andrews, agent, 24 hrs.		
at \$.80	\$	19 20
Herbert A. Andrews, truck, 4 hrs.		
at \$1.00		4 00
Herbert A. Andrews, tractor 4 hrs.		
at \$1.20		4 80
Arthur Hill, labor, 10 hrs. at		
\$.75		7 50
Arthur Hill, truck, 4 hrs. at \$1.00		4 00
Harold R. Andrews, labor, 2 hrs.		
at \$.75		1 50
Millard H. Chandler, labor, 6 hrs.		
at \$.75		4 50
Albert Charles, labor, 12 hrs. at		
\$.75		9 00
Walton Charles, labor, 4 hrs. at		
\$.75		3 00
Joe Bemis, fitting wing, 3½ hrs. at		
\$1.50		5 25
Joe Bemis, cutting torch, 1 hr. at		
\$3.50		3 50
Joe Bemis, 12 lbs, 4x½ iron at \$.10		1 20

Arthur Hill, plowing snow, 27 hrs.		
at \$3.00	81	00
Clifford Emerson, labor, 27 hrs.		
at \$.75	20	25
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<i>Total</i>		\$ 168 70
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<i>Grand Total to Dec. 31, 1946</i>		\$1,377 06
HERBERT A. ANDREWS,		
Road Agent		

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify I have completed the examination of accounts of the town officials of Chatham, N. H., for the municipal year ending December 31, 1946, to the best of my knowledge and belief. This properly reflects the true financial condition as per above date.

Respectfully submitted,

VICTOR H. HANSCOM,
Auditor

CHATHAM CENTER CEMETERY FUND

TRUSTEES' REPORT

Beginning January 1, 1946 and ending December 31, 1946

Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of income on hand at beginning of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Balance of income on hand at end of year
Olive Eaton	N. H. Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.	\$ 200.00	2%	\$ 20.60	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.18	\$ 20.42
Fred Eaton	N. H. Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.	2,000.00	2%	137.46	40.00	41.73	135.73
Mason H. Clay	Portland Savings Bank, Portland, Me.	100.00	2%	34.15	2.72	2.09	34.78
				\$ 192.21	\$46.72	\$48.00	\$ 190.93

ALBERT C. CHARLES
OLIN R. HANSCOM

Trustees of Trust Funds
Town of Chatham, N. H.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

School Board

MRS. BERNICE EMERSON	Term expires 1947
MERLE PITMAN	Term expires 1948
MRS. MARY E. CHARLES	Term expires 1949

Moderator

CHARLOTTE HANSCOME

Treasurer

MRS. GLENORA HANSCOM

Clerk

MRS. MATTIE CROUSE

Auditor

DANA A. WEEKS

Superintendent

HAMMOND A. YOUNG

School Nurse

JULIA T. COX, R.N.

FINANCIAL REPORT

FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1946

Receipts

Equalization fund from state	\$2,064 10	
National forest reserve	306 21	
Tax assessment from selectmen	1,941 73	
Dog licenses	40 80	
Elementary school tuitions	36 00	
Income from trust funds	145 94	
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<i>Total receipts</i>		\$4,534 78
Balance on hand July 1, 1945		601 81
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<i>Grand Total</i>		\$5,136 59

Payments

Salaries of district officers	\$ 102 00	
Superintendent's excess salary	122 08	
Expenses of administration	24 50	
Teachers' salaries	1,895 50	
Text books	31 00	
Scholars' supplies	24 28	
Other expenses of instructions	2 13	
Janitor service	74 79	
Fuel	129 50	
Water, light, janitor's supplies	30 34	
Minor repairs and expenses	97 70	
Medical inspection	50 50	
Transportation of pupils	1,116 00	
High school tuition	796 25	
Per capita tax	66 00	
Insurance	5 96	
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<i>Total payments</i>		\$4,568 53

Cash on hand June 30, 1946	568 06

<i>Grand Total</i>	\$5,136 59

BERNICE EMERSON
 MERLE PITMAN
 MARY E. CHARLES
 School Board of Chatham.

July 1, 1946

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, and other financial records of the School Board of Chatham of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

DANA A. WEEKS,
 Auditor

July 10, 1946

REPORT OF TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1946

Balance on hand June 30, 1945	\$ 601 81
Received from selectmen	1,941 73
Dog taxes	40 80
Income from trust funds	145 94

State Aid	2,064 10
Received from other sources	342 21

<i>Total amount available for fiscal year</i>	\$5,136 59
Less school board orders paid	4,568 53

Balance on hand June 30, 1946	\$ 568 06

GLENORA HANSCOM,
Treasurer

July 1, 1946

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Chatham, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946 and find them correct in all respects.

DANA A. WEEKS,
Auditor.

July 10, 1946

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

To the School Board and Citizens of Chatham:

The boys and girls in Chatham are fortunate in having such capable teachers as Miss Lucretia Chandler in the Eastman School and Mrs. Edna Pitman in the Green Hill School. In both schools the standard of educational and social development is very good. The pupils show a fine appreciation of the educational opportunity with which the taxpayers of Chatham provide them.

It is gratifying to know that there are six pupils from Chatham who are attending Fryeburg Academy this year. They are Betty Haggerty, grade 9; Ralph Emerson, Lyle Wiggin, Richard Hill, Ronald Hill, grade 10; and Norman Eastman, grade 11.

There is a bill in the present session of the State Legislature which if passed and sufficient money appropriated would give Chatham an increase in State Aid from \$2,083.57 this year to \$3,169.61 for the 1947-48 school year. The Legislature will probably not make a final decision on this until after the annual school district meeting. If this money is available, it will help to offset the increased cost of the schools.

Pupils with perfect attendance for the year were John Chandler, Jane Charles, Norma Charles, Richard Eastman, Elizabeth Emerson, and Paul Lusky in the Eastman School; Elaine Anderson and Leita Monroe from the Green Hill School.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMMOND YOUNG,
Superintendent

TABLE I
Teachers and Schools, 1946-47

<i>School</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Pupils</i>
Eastman	Lucretia P. Chandler	
Green Hill	Edna H. Pitman	

TABLE II
Year Ending June 30, 1946

<i>Schools</i>	<i>Pupils</i>	<i>Per cent</i>		<i>Visits</i>
		<i>Attendance</i>	<i>Tardy</i>	<i>of Supt.</i>
Green Hill	10	93.15	1	8
Eastman	22	95.50	0	9
Per cent attendance, both schools				94.90
Number pupils transported				21
Pupils not tardy or absent				8
Non-resident pupils				1
High school pupils in other towns				7

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

September 1945 to July 1946

Physical examinations done by Julia T. Cox, R.N.

Number of pupils examined	32
Number of pupils vaccinated	32
Number of pupils transported to dental clinic	6
Number of school visits	21
Number of home visits	27
Number of pupils excluded for communicable disease:	
Chicken Pox	1
Whooping Cough	3
Pediculosis	5
Scabies	8
Ringworm	1

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA T. COX, R.N.

VITAL STATISTICS

Recorded in the Town of Chatham in the Year of 1946

BIRTHS

February 26 in Conway, Donna Ann Milliken, second child of Walter Davis Milliken and Bernice Irene Kimball Milliken.

July 6 in Conway, Judith Elaine Garland, third child of Clyde Frederick Garland and Shirley Alice Emerson Garland.

July 18, in Conway, Konrad Wesley Kimball, sixth child of Walter Ellsworth Kimball, Jr., and Mary Ellen Bean Kimball.

September 2, in Conway, Harold James Foster, third child of Norman Foster and Myrtle Bryant Foster.

October 4, in Conway, Betty Ann Day, third child of James Henry Day and Nettie Lee Langford Day.

MARRIAGES

September 22, in Conway, Calvin Abner Heath of Chatham and Charlotte Irene Verrill of Chatham.

DEATHS

Residents of Chatham

April 26, 1946, in South Chatham, Granville Lee Anderson, age 69 years, 11 months, 28 days. Buried in South Chatham.

June 29, 1946 in Kennebunk, Maine, George Henry Hill, age 88 years, 11 months, 6 days. Buried in South Chatham.

October 25, 1944, in China. First Lieutenant Argyle Edson Hanscom, 0673071; age 28 years, 6 months. Buried in China.

Non-Resident Burials

December 31, 1945 in Portland, Maine. Charlotte P. Binford of Portland, Maine; age 89 years, 11 months. 2 days. Buried in Chatham Center Cemetery.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUVILLE R. EMERSON,

Town Clerk

